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(57) Abstract:

PURPOSE: To provide a computer system including a central processing unit(CPU), a memory circuit, a processor for both input and output, and an input device, with the input device incorporating a touch pad and two joy sticks arranged on both sides of the touch pad one by one.

CONSTITUTION: This input device interfaces with a CPU 30 through a serial data link to a processor for both input and output. A touch pad carries a default template graphic image drawn on or in the surface of the pad and has a retainer for detachably fixing a template overlay used together with the touch panel instead of a default template.

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